

UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE SIXTH CIRCUIT

In re: BARRY C. MELTON,

Movant.

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ORDER

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Before: SILER, SUTTON, and COOK, Circuit Judges.

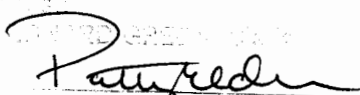
Barry C. Melton, a Tennessee prisoner proceeding pro se, moves the court for an order authorizing the district court to consider a second or successive petition for a writ of habeas corpus filed pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254.

Upon review, we conclude that Melton is not entitled to the relief he seeks because he has not satisfied the requirements of 28 U.S.C. § 2244(b).

Accordingly, we deny Melton's motion seeking permission to file a second or successive § 2254 petition for a writ of habeas corpus.

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